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1999 Variable Description	1999		1996 Parent/Family Civic Involvement	
	Variable	Question	Variable	Question
Demographic Characteristics				
Month of birth	CDOBMM	PA1	CDOBMM	PA1
Year of birth	CDOBY	PA1	CDOBY	PA1
Child's age	AGE98	PA2	AGE95	PA2
Child's sex	SEX	S6	SEX	S6
Child's race	CRACE	PA3	CRACE	SX21
Child is Hispanic or mixed race	COTHRACE	PA3OV	OTHRAC1-16	SX21A
Child is of Hispanic origin	CHISPAN	PA4	HISPAN1-16	SX22
Child's birth country	CBORNUS	PA5	BORNUS1-16	SX19
Age when child moved to U.S.	CMOVEAGE	PA5OV		
Language child speaks most at home	CSPEAK	PA6	CSPEAK	PA3
Mother's age	MOMAGE	PA7	MOMAGE	S6
Father's age	DADAGE	PA7	DADAGE	S6
Other household members' age	AGE1-AGE13	PA7	HHAGE1-16	S6
Other household members' sex	SEX1-SEX3	PA7	HHSEX1-16	S6
Other household members' relationship to child	RELATION	PA8	RELATN1-15	PA5
Mother's specific relationship to child	MOMTYPE	PA9	MOMTYPE	PA6
Father's specific relationship to child	DADTYPE	PA10	DADTYPE	PA7
Current School Status				
Child enrolled in school	ENROLL	PB1	ENROLL	PB1
Child schooled at home	HOMESCHL	PB2	HOMESCHL	PB2
Child schooled at home instead of at school	HOMECON	PB3		
Child getting all or some instruction from home	HOMEALL	PB4		
Hours each week child goes to school for instruction	HOMSCHR	PB5		
Grade or year child attending	GRADE	PB6	GRADE	PB4
Grade or year equivalent if child was attending	GRADEEQ	PB7	GRADEEQ	PB5
Center-Based Program Participation				
Child attended kindergarten before	ATNDKIND	PC1		
Child attended home school kindergarten	HOMEKIND	PC2		
Child ever attended Head Start	HEADEVR	PC3		
Child ever attended nursery school	PREKEVR	PC4		
Home school nursery, prekindergarten, preschool	HOMEPREK	PC5		

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Home Schooling				
Home school- for religious reasons	HSREIGN	PC6	HSREIGN	PB9
Home school- for better education	HSBETTER	PC6	HSBETTER	PB9
Home school- object to what schools teach	HSOBJECT	PC6	HSOBJECT	PB9
Home school- poor learning environment	HSENVIRN	PC6	HSENVIRN	PB9
Home school- no challenge for child at school	HSCHALNG	PC6	HSCHALNG	PB9
Home school- can't afford private school	HSPRIVAT	PC6	HSPRIVAT	PB9
Home school- couldn't get into desired school	HSDESIRE	PC6	HSDESIRE	PB9
Home school- child has temporary illness	HSILL	PC6	HSILL	PB9
Home school- child has special need/disability	HSDISABL	PC6	HSDISABL	PB9
Home school- parent's career	HSCAREER	PC6	HSCAREER	PB9
Home school- child not old enough for grade school	HSAGE	PC6	HSAGE	PB9
Home school- student behavioral problems	HSBEHAV	PC6	HSBEHAV	PB9
Home school- to develop character/morality	HSCHAR	PC6	HSCHAR	PB9
Home school- problem with public/private school	HSSCPROB	PC6	HSSCPROB	PB9
Home school- other family reasons	HSFAMILY	PC6	HSFAMILY	PB9
Home school- transportation/distance/convenience	HSTRAN	PC6	HSTRAN	PB9
Home school- other reasons	HSOTHER	PC6	HSOTHER	PB9
Public school support- offer detailed curriculum	HSCURR	PC7a		
Public school support- offer book materials	HSMATLS	PC7b		
Public school support- offer place with info for parents	HSPAPLC	PC7c		
Public school support- web site for home sch parents	HSPAWEB	PC7d		
Public school support- place home school kids meet	HSSTPLC	PC7e		
Public school support- web site for home sch students	HSSTWEB	PC7f		
Public school support- chance child participate sports	HSACTVS	PC7g		
Used public school support curricula	HSCURRU	PC7OVa		
Used public school support books or materials	HSMATLSU	PC7OVb		
Used public school support place for parents	HSPAPLCU	PC7OVc		
Used public school support web site for parents	HSPAWEBU	PC7OVd		
Used public school support place for students	HSSTPLCU	PC7OVe		
Used public school support web site for students	HSSTWEBU	PC7OVf		
Used public school support participation in sports	HSACTVSU	PC7OVg		
Public school offers child chance attend certain class	HSATTND	PC8		
Any of child's home instruction by public school teacher	HSTECHR	PC9		

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School Characteristics				
Child attends public or private school	SPUBLIC	PD1	PUBSCH1-16/SPUBLIC	SX11/PD1
School assigned or chosen	SCHOICE	PD2	SCHOICE	PD3
School in assigned school district	SDISRCT	PD3		
Child attends church-related school	SRELGON	PD4	SRELGON	PD4
Child attends Catholic school	SCATHLIC	PD5	SCATHLIC	PD5
Lowest grade taught at child's school	SLOW	PD6	SLOW	PD7
Highest grade taught at child's school	SHIGH	PD7	SHIGH	PD8
Number of students at child's school	SNUMSTUD	PD8	SNUMSTUD	PD9
Number of students in child's grade	SNUMGRAD	PD8OV	SNUMGRAD	PD9OV
Child 1 goes to same school as Child 2	SSAME	PD9	SSAME	PD12
Emerging Literacy and Numeracy				
Child identifies colors red, yellow, blue, green	DPCOLOR	PE1		
Child recognizes letters	DPLETTER	PE2		
How high child counts	DPCOUNT	PE3		
Child writes his or her first name	DPNAME	PE4		
Child reads story books	HASTORY	PE5		
Child actually reads the words	HAWORDS	PE6		
Child ever looks at story book and pretends to read	HAPRETND	PE7		
When pretend to read, sounds like connected story	HACONECT	PE8		
Early Childhood Care and Programs				
Receives care from a relative	RCNOW	PF1, PN1		
Number of other relative care arrangements	RCMORE	PF2, PN2		
Relative who cares for child	RCTYPE	PF3, PN3		
Location of relative care	RCPLACE	PF4, PN4		
Relative care schedule at least once each week	RCWEEK	PF5, PN6		
Days per week receives relative care	RCDAYS	PF6, PN7		
Hours per week receives relative care	RCHRS	PF7, PN8		
Number of children cared for by relative	RCKIDS	PF9		
Number of adults giving relative care	RCADLTS	PF10		
Any fee charged by relative for child care	RCFEE	PF11, PN11		
Amount household pays relative for child care	RCCOST	PF12, PN12		

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Unit of time relative care cost	RCUNIT	PF12, PN12		
Cost of relative care for child only or other children	RCCSTHH	PF13, PN13		
Number of children this amount covers	RCCSTHN	PF13OV, PN13OV		
Receives care from a nonrelative	NCNOW	PG1, PO1		
Number of other nonrelative care arrangements	NCMORE	PG2, PO2		
Location of nonrelative care	NCPLACE	PG3, PO3		
Nonrelative care at least once per week	NCWEEK	PG4, PO5		
Days per week receives nonrelative care	NCDAYS	PG5, PO6		
Hours per week receives nonrelative care	NCHRS	PG6, PO7		
Number of children cared for by nonrelative	NCKIDS	PG8		
Number of adults giving nonrelative care	NCADLTS	PG9		
Any fee charged by nonrelative for child care	NCFEE	PG10, PO10		
Amount for nonrelative care	NCCOST	PG11, PO11		
Unit of time nonrelative cost	NCUNIT	PG11, PO11		
Cost of nonrelative for child only or other children	NCCSTHH	PG12, PO12		
Number of children amount covers	NCCSTHN	PG12OV, PO12OV		
Child attending Head Start	HSNOW	PH1	NHSNOW	PC1
Location of Head Start program	HSPLACE	PH2		
Head Start located at workplace	HSWORK	PH3		
Head Start regular schedule- at least once per week	HSWEEK	PH4		
Days per week attends Head Start	HSDAYS	PH5		
Hours per week attends Head Start	HSHRS	PH6	NHRS	PC5
Number of children in same group at Head Start	HSKIDS	PH8		
Number of adults in same group at Head Start	HSADLTS	PH9		
Any fee for Head Start program	HSFEE	PH10		
Amount household pays for Head Start	HSCOST	PH11		
Unit of time for Head Start cost	HSUNIT	PH11		
Cost for Head Start child only or include other kids	HSCOSTHH	PH12		
Number of children amount covers	HSCOSTHN	PH12OV		
Attends centered-based program	CPNNOW	PI1	NCBNOW	PC2
More center-based arrangements	CPMORE	PI2, PP2	NNUMPROG	PC3
Program where child spends the most time	NTYPE	PI3	NTYPE	PC4
Location/center-based program	CPPLACE	PI4, PP3		

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Program located at workplace	CPWORK	PI5, PP5		
Program regular schedule at least once per week	CPWEEK	PI6, PP7		
Days per week attends center-based program	CPDAYS	PI7, PP8		
Hours per week attends center-based program	CPHRS	PI8, PP9		
Number of children in same group at program	CPKIDS	PI10		
Number of adults in same group at program	CPADLTS	PI11		
Fee for center-based program	CPFEE	PI12, PP12		
Amount for center-based program	CPCOST	PI13, PP13		
Unit/time program cost	CPUNIT	PI13, PP13		
Cost for child only or other children in your household	CPCSTHH	PI14, PP14		
Number of children amount covers	CPCSTHN	PI14OV, PP14OV		
Training and Support for Families of Preschoolers				
Attended support group for parents	SFATTGRP	PJ1a	SFATTGRP	PH1a
Attended parenting class	SFATTCLS	PJ1b	SFATTCLS	PH1b
Gone to family support center	SFSUPCTR	PJ2a	SFSUPCTR	PH2a
Had more than one home visit	SFVISITS	PJ2b	SFVISITS	PH2b
Parent Satisfaction with School				
Parent is satisfied with school	FCSCHOOL	PK1a		
Parent is satisfied with teachers	FCTEACHR	PK1b		
Parent is satisfied with academic standards	FCSTDS	PK1c		
Parent is satisfied with order and discipline	FCORDER	PK1d		
Student Academic Performance and Behavior				
Child's grades across all subjects	SEGRADES	PL1	SEGRADES	PE3
Rating of child's school work	SEGRADEQ	PL2	SEGRADEQ	PE4
Teacher contacted family regarding behavior problems	SEBEHVR	PL3	SEBEHVR	PE6
Teacher contacted household re school work problems	SESCHLWR	PL4	SESCHLWR	PE7
Child has repeated a grade	SEREPEAT	PL5	SEREPEAT	PE8
Grade child repeated	SEREPTK-12	PL6	SEREPTK-12	PE9
Child ever suspended or expelled from school	SESUSEXP	PL7	SESUSEXP	PE11
Child had in school suspension	SESUSIN	PL8a	SESUSIN	PE12a
Child was expelled from school	SEEXPEL	PL8b	SEEXPEL	PE12b
Suspension in-school or out-of-school	SEINOUT	PL9		

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Family/School Involvement and School Practices				
Household adult attended general school meeting	FSMEETNG	PM1a	FSMEETNG	PF1a
Adult who attended general school meeting	FSMEETNP	PM1a2	FSMEETNP	PF1a2
Household adult attended meeting with teacher	FSATCNFN	PM1b	FSATCNFN	PF1b
Adult who attended teacher meeting	FSCFNP	PM1b2	FSCFNP	PF1b2
Household adult attended class event	FSSPORT	PM1c	FSSPORT	PF1c+PF2e
Adult who attended class event	FSSPORTP	PM1c2	FSSPORTP	PF1c2+PF2e2
Household adult volunteered at school	FSVOLNTR	PM1d	FSVOLNTR	PF1d+PF2f
Adult who volunteered at school	FSVOLNTP	PM1d2	FSVOLNTP	PF1d2+PF2f2
School had general meeting this school year	FSHADMEE	PM1OV	FSHADMEE	PF1OV
School had teacher meeting	FSHADCN	PM1OV	FSHADCN	PF1OV+PF2O
How often went to school meetings/events	FSFREQ	PM2	FSFREQ	PF3
School tells family how child is doing	FSSPPERF	PM3a	FSSPPERF	PF6a
School helps family understand child development	FSSPCDEV	PM3b	FSSPCDEV	PF6b
School tells about chances to volunteer	FSSPVOLN	PM3c	FSSPVOLN	PF6c
School advises about home learning	FSSPHOME	PM3d	FSSPHOME	PF6d
School gives info about community services	FSSPSERV	PM3e	FSSPSERV	PF6e
School puts parents on committees	FSDECIS	PM4	FSDECIS	PF8
Before/After School Care and Activities				
Relative care before or after school	RCBFAFT	PN5		
Number of hours with relative care before school	RCHRSBF	PN9		
Number of hours with relative care after school	RCHRSF	PN9OV		
Nonrelative care before or after school	NCBFAFT	PO4		
Hours nonrelative care received before school	NCHRSBF	PO8		
Hours of nonrelative care received after school	NCHRSF	PO8OV		
Attends centered-based program	CPSNOW	PP1		
Same place attends kindergarten or grade	CPPLACK	PP4		
Attends program before or after school	CPBFAFT	PP6		
Hours at center-based before school	CPHRSBF	PP10		
Hours at center-based after school	CPHRSF	PP10OV		
Sometimes parents arrange for activities	ACTVTES	PQ1		
He/she participates in activities	ACTWEEK	PQ2		
Days per week child participates in activity	ACTDAYS	PQ3		

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Hours per week child participates in activity	ACTHRS	PQ4		
Cares for self on a regular basis	SCSELF	PQ6		
Child cares for self before/after school	SCBFAFT	PQ7		
Child cares for self once each week	SCWEEK	PQ8		
Days per week child cares for self	SCDAYS	PQ9		
Hours per week child cares for self	SCHRS	PQ10		
Hours per week child cares for self before school	SCHRSBF	PQ11		
Hours per week child cares for self after school	SCHRSAF	PQ11OV		
Mom or dad home when child gets home from school	SCPARHM	PQ12		
Plans for Postsecondary Education				
Child will attend school after high school	SEAFTRHS	PR1a	SEAFTRHS	PE10a
Child will graduate from a 4-year college	SECOLLEG	PR1b	SECOLLEG	PE10b
Child will start college education in a 2- or 4-year school	PSSTART	PR2		
Child like to attend private or public school	PSCOLTYP	PR3		
Child like to attend in or out of state college	PSCOLST	PR4		
Got information about tuition for specific college	PSCOLTUI	PR5		
Cost of 1 year tuition at 4-year college	PSCOLAMT	PR6		
Tuition of 4-year include other fees	PSCOLINC	PR6OV		
Estimated 1 year tuition at 4-year college	PSCESTUI	PR7		
Estimate of cost tuition of 4-year college	PSCESAMT	PR7OV1		
Estimate tuition 4-year college include other fees	PSCESINC	PR7OV2		
Estimate tuition at in state 4-year college	PS4YRTUI	PR8		
Estimate tuition at in state 4-year college	PS4YRAMT	PR8OV1		
Estimated tuition in state college include other fees	PS4YRINC	PR8OV2		
Will attend vocational/technical/comm or jr college	PSOTHTYP	PR9		
Got info about tuition of vocational/technical school	PSOTHTUI	PR10		
Tuition cost for vocational/technical/junior college	PSOTHAMT	PR11		
Tuition for vocational/technical include other fee	PSOTHINC	PR11OV		
Estimate cost of tuition at vocational/technical school	PSOESTUI	PR12		
Estimate cost of tuition at vocational/technical school	PSOESAMT	PR12OV1		
Estimate tuition vocational/technical include other fee	PSOESINC	PR12OV2		
Estimate cost of tuition at vocational/technical school	PS2YRTUI	PR13		
Tuition cost for vocational/technical/junior college	PS2YRAMT	PR13OV1		

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Estimate tuition vocational/technical include other fee	PS2YRINC	PR13OV2		
Saving money to pay for child's education	PSAVMON	PR14		
Talked about financial aid with someone	PSFINAID	PR15		
Heard of Lifetime Learning tax credit	PSLIFE	PR16a		
Heard of Hope Scholarship tax credit	PSHOPE	PR16b		
Have/will use Lifetime Learning tax credit	PSLIFUS	PR17		
Have/will use Hope Scholarship tax credit	PSHOPUS	PR18		
Talked w/counselor about academic requirements college	PSREQ	PR19		
Reason child not attending school after high school	PSNOTREA	PR20		
Family Involvement Outside of School				
Times read to child in the past week	FOREADTO	PS1	FOREADTO	PI1
Minutes read to child past week	FORDDAY	PS2		
Past week told child story	FOSTORY	PS3a	FOSTORY	PI2a+PI3a
Times told child story past week	FOSTORYN	PS3a	FOSTORYN	PI2a
Past week taught letters/words/numbers	FOWORDS	PS3b	FOWORDS	PI2b
Times taught letters/words/numbers past week	FOWORDSN	PS3b	FOWORDSN	PI2b
Past week taught child songs/music	FOMUSIC	PS3c	FOMUSIC	PI2c
Times taught songs past week	FOMUSICN	PS3c	FOMUSICN	PI2c
Past week worked on arts/crafts	FOCRAFTS	PS3d	FOCRAFTS	PI2d+PI3c
Times did arts/crafts past week	FOCRAFTN	PS3d	FOCRAFTN	PI2d
Took child on errands past week	FOERAND	PS3e	FOERAND	PI2f
Times took on errands past week	FOERANDN	PS3e	FOERANDN	PI2f
Involved child with chores past week	FOCHORE	PS3f	FOCHORE	PI2g+PI3b
Times involved child with chores past week	FOCHOREN	PS3f	FOCHOREN	PI2g
Visited library with child past month	FOLIBRAY	PS4a	FOLIBRAY	PI5a
Went to play/concert/show past month	FOCONCRT	PS4b	FOCONCRT	PI5b
Visited art gallery/museum past month	FOMUSEUM	PS4c	FOMUSEUM	PI5c
Visited zoo/aquarium past month	FOZOO	PS4d	FOZOO	PI5d
Told child family history past month	FOETHNIC	PS4e	FOETHNIC	PI5e
Went to community event past month	FOGROUP	PS4f	FOGROUP	PI5f

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Health and Disability				
Doctor said child developmentally delayed	HDDELAY	PT1	HDDELAY	PJ1
Last time child saw doctor	HNDWCWHN	PT2	HNDWCWHN	PJ5
Child has seen dentist	HNDNTIST	PT3	HNDNTIST	PJ6
Last time child has seen dentist	HNDNTWHN	PT4	HNDNTWHN	PJ7
Child has specific learning disability	HDLEARN	PT5a	HDLEARN	PJ2a
Child is mentally retarded	HDRETARD	PT5b	HDRETARD	PJ2b
Child has speech impairment	HDSPEECH	PT5c	HDSPEECH	PJ2c
Child has emotional disturbance	HDDISTRB	PT5d	HDDISTRB	PJ2d
Deafness or hearing problem	HDDEAFIM	PT5e, PT6a	HDDEAFIM	PJ2e
Blindness or vision problem	HDBLNDIM	PT5f, PT6b	HDBLNDIM	PJ2f
Orthopedic repairment	HDORTHO	PT5g, PT6c	HDORTHO	PJ2g
Child has other health problem lasting 6 months +	HDOTHER	PT5h, PT6e	HDOTHER	PJ2h
Child has severe developmental delay	HDDEVEL	PT6d		
Receives services from state/local/social agency	HDGOVT	PT7a, PT10b		
Receives services from doctor or clinic	HDDOCTOR	PT7b, PT10c		
Receives services-other	HDSOURCE	PT7c, PT10d		
Receives services through IFSP	HNIFSP	PT8		
Disability affects ability to learn	HDAFFECT	PT9	HDAFFECT	PJ4
Receives services from school district	HDSCHL	PT10	HDAFFECT	PJ3a
Parent/Guardian Characteristics				
Mother's age when first became a mother	MOMNEW	PU1		
First language spoken by mother	MOMLANG	PU2	LANG1-16	SX20, PL1
Language spoken most at home by mother	MOMSPEAK	PU3	MOMSPEAK	PL2
Country mother was born in	MOMBORN	PU4	BORNUS1-16	SX19
Age when mother moved to the U.S.	MOMUSAGE	PU4OV		
Highest grade mother completed	MOMGRADE	PU5	MOMGRADE	PL3
Actual grade 0-8 mother completed	MOMGRAD1	PU5	MOMGRAD1	PL3
Actual grade 9-11 mother completed	MOMGRAD2	PU5	MOMGRAD2	PL3
Mother has high school diploma or GED	MOMDIPL	PU6	MOMDIPL	PL4
Mother worked for pay last week	MOMWORK	PU7	MOMWORK	PL5
Mother on leave or vacation last week	MOMLEAVE	PU8	MOMLEAVE	PL6
Hours per week mother works for pay	MOMHOURS	PU9	MOMHOURS	PL7

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Months mother worked in past year	MOMMTHS	PU10	MOMMTHS	PL8
Mother looking for work in past 4 weeks	MOMLOOK	PU11	MOMLOOK	PL9
Mother checked public employment agency	MOMPUBL	PU12	MOMPUBL	PL10
Mother checked private employment agency	MOMPRIV	PU12	MOMPRIV	PL10
Mother checked with employer directly	MOMEMPL	PU12	MOMEMPL	PL10
Mother checked with friends/relatives	MOMREL	PU12	MOMREL	PL10
Mother placed or answered ads	MOMANSAD	PU12	MOMANSAD	PL10
Mother read want ads	MOMREAD	PU12	MOMREAD	PL10
Mother did other things to find work	MOMOTHER	PU12	MOMOTHER	PL10
Mother's main activity last week	MOMACTY	PU13	MOMACTY	PL11
First language spoken by father	DADLANG	PV1	DADLANG	PM1
Language spoken most at home by father	DADSPEAK	PV2	DADSPEAK	PM2
Country father was born in	DADBORN	PV3		
Age when father moved to U.S.	DADUSAGE	PV3OV		
Highest grade father completed	DADGRADE	PV4	DADGRADE	PM3
Actual grade 0-8 father completed	DADGRAD1	PV4	DADGRAD1	PM3
Actual grade 9-11 father completed	DADGRAD2	PV4	DADGRAD2	PM3
Father has high school diploma/GED	DADDIPL	PV5	DADDIPL	PM4
Father worked for pay last week	DADWORK	PV6	DADWORK	PM5
Father on leave or vacation last week	DADLEAVE	PV7	DADLEAVE	PM6
Hours per week father works for pay	DADHOURS	PV8	DADHOURS	PM7
Father looking for work past 4 weeks	DADLOOK	PV9	DADLOOK	PM8
Father checked public employment agency	DADPUBL	PV10	DADPUBL	PM9
Father checked private employment agency	DADPRIV	PV10	DADPRIV	PM9
Father checked with employer directly	DADEMPL	PV10	DADEMPL	PM9
Father checked with relatives or friends	DADREL	PV10	DADREL	PM9
Father placed or answered ads	DADANSAD	PV10	DADANSAD	PM9
Father read want ads	DADREAD	PV10	DADREAD	PM9
Father did other things to find work	DADOTHER	PV10	DADOTHER	PM9
Father's main activity last week	DADACTY	PV11	DADACTY	PM10

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Household Characteristics				
Own, rent home, or other arrangement	HOWNHOME	PW1	HOWNHOME	SX27
How many other telephone numbers in household	HOTHNUM	PW2	HOTHNUM	SX28
Other phone numbers for home use	HNUMUSE	PW3	HNUMUSE	SX29
Zip code	HZIPCODE	PW4	STFZIP/R	SX30
Family received WIC past 12 months	HWIC	PW5a	HWIC	SX32a
Family received food stamps past 12 months	HFOODST	PW5b	HFOODST	SX32b
Family received TANF or AFDC past 12 months	HAFDC	PW5c	HAFDC	SX32c
Exact income to nearest \$1000	HINCMEXT	PW0V	HINCMEXT	SX33OV

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Demographic Characteristics					
Month of birth	CDOBMM	PA1	DOBMM	R1	DOBMM
Year of birth	CDOBY	PA1	DOBY	R1	DOBY
Child's age	AGE98	PA2	AGE92	S6	AGE92
Child's race	CRACE	PA3	RACE	R2	RACE
Child's sex	SEX	S6	SEX	S6	SEX
Child is Hispanic or mixed race	COTHRACE	PA3OV			
Child is of Hispanic origin	CHISPAN	PA4	HISPANIC	R3	HISPANIC
Child's birth country	CBORNUS	PA5			
Age when child moved to U.S.	CMOVEAGE	PA5OV			
Language child speaks most at home	CSPEAK	PA6			
Mother's age	MOMAGE	PA7			
Father's age	DADAGE	PA7			
Other household members' age	AGE1-AGE13	PA7			
Other household members' sex	SEX	PA7			
Other household members' relationship to child	RELATION	PA8	RELATN1-9	R10	
Mother's specific relationship to child	MOMTYPE	PA9	MOMTYPE	R11	
Father's specific relationship to child	DADTYPE	PA10	DADTYPE	R12	
Current School Status					
Child enrolled in school	ENROLL	PB1			ENROLL
Child schooled at home	HOMESCHL	PB2	HOMESCHL	R5	HOMESCHL
Child schooled at home instead of at school	HOMECON	PB3			
Child getting all or some instruction from home	HOMEALL	PB4			
Hours each week child goes to school for instruction	HOMSCHR	PB5			
Grade or year child attending	GRADE	PB6	GRADE	R6	GRADE
Grade or year equivalent if child was attending	GRADEEQ	PB7	GRADEEQ	R7	GRADEEQ
Center-Based Program Participation					
Child attended kindergarten before	ATNDKIND	PC1	ATNDKIND	R8	
Child attended home school kindergarten	HOMEKIND	PC2			
Child ever attended Head Start	HEADEVR	PC3	HEADEVR	R33	
Child ever attended nursery school	PREKEVR	PC4	PREKEVR	R37	
Home school nursery, prekindergarten, preschool	HOMEPREK	PC5			
Home Schooling					
Home school- for religious reasons	HSRELIGN	PC6			
Home school- for better education	HSBETTER	PC6			
Home school- object to what schools teach	HSOBJECT	PC6			

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Home school- poor learning environment	HSENVIRN	PC6			
Home school- no challenge for child at school	HSCHALNG	PC6			
Home school- can't afford private school	HSPRIVAT	PC6			
Home school- couldn't get into desired school	HSDESIRE	PC6			
Home school- child has temporary illness	HSILL	PC6			
Home school- child has special need/disability	HSDISABL	PC6			
Home school- parent's career	HSCAREER	PC6			
Home school- child not old enough for grade school	HSAGE	PC6			
Home school- student behavioral problems	HSBEHAV	PC6			
Home school- to develop character/morality	HSCHAR	PC6			
Home school- problem with public/private school	HSSCPROB	PC6			
Home school- other family reasons	HSFAMILY	PC6			
Home school- transportation/distance/convenience	HSTRAN	PC6			
Home school- other reasons	HSOTHER	PC6			
Public school support- offer detailed curriculum	HSCURR	PC7a			
Public school support- offer book materials	HSMATLS	PC7b			
Public school support- offer info for parents	HSPAPLC	PC7c			
Public school support- web site for home school	HSPAWEB	PC7d			
Public school support- place kids meet	HSSTPLC	PC7e			
Public school support- web site for home sch students	HSSTWEB	PC7f			
Public school support- child participate sports	HSACTVS	PC7g			
Used public school support curricula	HSCURRU	PC7OVa			
Used public school support books or materials	HSMATLSU	PC7OVb			
Used public school support place for parents	HSPAPLCU	PC7OVc			
Used public school support web site for parents	HSPAWEBU	PC7OVd			
Used public school support place for students	HSSTPLCU	PC7OVe			
Used public school support web site for students	HSSTWEBU	PC7OVf			
Used public school support participation in sports	HSACTVSU	PC7OVg			
Public school offers child chance attend class	HSATTND	PC8			
Any of child's home instruction by public school teacher	HSTECHR	PC9			
School Characteristics					
Child attends public or private school	SPUBLIC	PD1	KPPUBL+PPUBL	R60+R71	SCPUBLIC
School assigned or chosen	SCHOICE	PD2	PCHOICE+KPCHOICE	R61+R72	SCASSIGN
School in assigned school district	SDISRCT	PD3			
Child attends church-related school	SRELGON	PD4	KPCHURCH+PCHURCH	R62+R73	SCCHURCH
Child attends Catholic school	SCATHLIC	PD5			
Lowest grade taught at child's school	SLOW	PD6			SCLOW
Highest grade taught at child's school	SHIGH	PD7			SCHIGH
Number of students at child's school	SNUMSTUD	PD8			SCSTUD

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Number of students in child's grade	SNUMGRAD	PD8OV			SCSTUDGR
Child 1 goes to same school as Child 2	SSAME	PD9			
Emerging Literacy and Numeracy					
Child identifies colors red, yellow, blue, green	DPCOLOR	PE1	DPCOLOR	R14	
Child recognizes letters	DPLETTER	PE2	DPLETTER	R15	
How high child counts	DPCOUNT	PE3	DPCOUNT	R16	
Child writes his or her first name	DPNAME	PE4	DPNAME	R17	
Child reads story books	HASTORY	PE5	HASTORY	R86	
Child actually reads the words	HAWORDS	PE6	HAWORDS	R87	
Child ever looks at story book and pretends to read	HAPRETND	PE7	HAPRETND	R89	
When pretend to read, sounds like connected story	HACONECT	PE8	HACONECT	R90	
Early Childhood Care and Programs					
Receives care from a relative	RCNOW	PF1, PN1			
Number of other relative care arrangements	RCMORE	PF2, PN2			
Relative who cares for child	RCTYPE	PF3, PN3			
Location of relative care	RCPLACE	PF4, PN4			
Relative care schedule at least once each week	RCWEEK	PF5, PN6			
Days per week receives relative care	RCDAYS	PF6, PN7			
Hours per week receives relative care	RCHRS	PF7, PN8			
Number of children cared for by relative	RCKIDS	PF9			
Number of adults giving relative care	RCADLTS	PF10			
Any fee charged by relative for child care	RCFEE	PF11, PN11			
Amount household pays relative for child care	RCCOST	PF12, PN12			
Unit of time relative care cost	RCUNIT	PF12, PN12			
Cost for child only or other children in your hh	RCCSTHH	PF13, PN13			
Number of children this amount covers	RCCSTHN	PF13OV, PN13OV			
Receives care from a nonrelative	NCNOW	PG1, PO1			
Number of other nonrelative care arrangements	NCMORE	PG2, PO2			
Location of nonrelative care	NCPLACE	PG3, PO3			
Nonrelative care at least once per week	NCWEEK	PG4, PO5			
Days per week receives nonrelative care	NCDAYS	PG5, PO6			
Hours per week receives nonrelative care	NCHRS	PG6, PO7			
Number of children cared for by nonrelative	NCKIDS	PG8			
Number of adults giving nonrelative care	NCADLTS	PG9			
Any fee charged by nonrelative for child care	NCFEE	PG10, PO10			

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Amount for nonrelative care	NCCOST	PG11, PO11			
Unit of time nonrelative cost	NCUNIT	PG11, PO11			
Cost of nonrelative for child only or other children in hh	NCCSTHH	PG12, PO12			
Number of children amount covers	NCCSTHN	PG12OV, PO12OV			
Child attending Head Start	HSNOW	PH1	HEADSTRT	R32	
Location of Head Start program	HSPLACE	PH2			
Head Start located at workplace	HSWORK	PH3			
Head Start regular schedule- at least once per week	HSWEEK	PH4			
Days per week attends Head Start	HSDAYS	PH5	PREKDAY	R45	
Hours per week attends Head Start	HSHRS	PH6	PREKHRS	R46	
Number of children in same group at Head Start	HSKIDS	PH8	PREKID	R48	
Number of adults in same group at Head Start	HSADLTS	PH9	PREKADLT	R49	
Any fee for Head Start program	HSFEE	PH10			
Amount household pays for Head Start	HSCOST	PH11			
Unit of time for Head Start cost	HSUNIT	PH11			
Cost for Head Start child only or other kids hh	HSCOSTHH	PH12			
Number of children amount covers	HSCOSTHN	PH12OV			
Attends centered-based program	CPNNOW	PI1			
More center-based arrangements	CPMORE	PI2, PP2			
Program where child spends the most time	NTYPE	PI3			
Location/center-based program	CPPLACE	PI4, PP3			
Program located at workplace	CPWORK	PI5, PP5			
Program regular schedule at least once per week	CPWEEK	PI6, PP7			
Days per week attends center-based program	CPDAYS	PI7, PP8	PREKDAY	R45	
Hours per week attends center-based program	CPHRS	PI8, PP9	PREKHRS	R46	
Number of children in same group at program	CPKIDS	PI10	PREKID	R48	
Number of adults in same group at program	CPADLTS	PI11	PREKADLT	R49	
Fee for center program	CPFEE	PI12, PP12			
Amount for center program	CPCOST	PI13, PP13			
Unit/time program cost	CPUNIT	PI13, PP13			
Cost for child only or other children in your household	CPCSTHH	PI14, PP14			
Number of children amount covers	CPCSTHN	PI14OV, PP14OV			

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Training and Support for Families of Preschoolers					
Attended support group for parents	SFATTGRP	PJ1a			
Attended parenting class	SFATTCLS	PJ1b			
Gone to family support center	SFSUPCTR	PJ2a			
Had more than one home visit	SFVISITS	PJ2b			
Parent Satisfaction with School					
Parent is satisfied with school	FCSCHOOL	PK1a			FCSCHOOL
Parent is satisfied with teachers	FCTEACHR	PK1b			FCTEACHR
Parent is satisfied with academic standards	FCSTDS	PK1c			FCSTDS
Parent is satisfied with order and discipline	FCORDER	PK1d			FCORDER
Student Academic Performance and Behavior					
Child's grades across all subjects	SEGRADES	PL1			
Rating of child's school work	SEGRADEQ	PL2	PWORK	R77	CCSTATUS
Teacher contacted family regarding behavior	SEBEHVR	PL3			FCBEHAVE
Teacher contacted household re school work	SESCHLWR	PL4			FCSCHLWK
Child has repeated a grade	SEREPEAT	PL5	RREPT	R81	CCREPEAT
Grade child repeated	SEREPTK-12	PL6	RREPT1-3/R	R82	
Child ever suspended or expelled from school	SESUSEXP	PL7			CCSUSPND+CCE
Child had in school suspension	SESUSIN	PL8a			
Child was expelled from school	SEEXPEL	PL8b			
Suspension in-school or out-of-school					
Family/School Involvement and School Practices					
Household adult attended general school meeting	FSMEETNG	PM1a			FCMEETNG
Adult who attended general school meeting	FSMEETNP	PM1a2			
Household adult attended meeting with teacher	FSATCNFN	PM1b			
Adult who attended teacher meeting	FSCFNP	PM1b2			
Household adult attended class event	FSSPORT	PM1c			FCSPORTS
Adult who attended class event	FSSPORTP	PM1c2			
Household adult volunteered at school	FSVOLNTR	PM1d			FCVOLNTR
Adult who volunteered at school	FSVOLNTP	PM1d2			
School had general meeting this school year	FSHADMEE	PM1OV			
School had teacher meeting	FSHADCN	PM1OV			
How often went to school meetings/events	FSFREQ	PM2			
School tells family how child is doing	FSSPPERF	PM3a			
School helps family understand child development	FSSPCDEV	PM3b			
School tells about chances to volunteer	FSSPVOLN	PM3c			

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School advises about home learning	FSSPHOME	PM3d			
School gives info about community services	FSSPSERV	PM3e			
School puts parents on committees	FSDECIS	PM4			
Before/After School Care Activities					
Relative care before or after school	RCBFAFT	PN5			
Number of hours with relative care before school	RCHRSBF	PN9			
Number of hours with relative care after school	RCHRSAF	PN9OV			
Nonrelative care before or after school	NCBFAFT	PO4			
Hours nonrelative care received before school	NCHRSBF	PO8			
Hours of nonrelative care received after school	NCHRSAF	PO8OV			
Attends centered-based program	CPSNOW	PP1			
Same place attends kindergarten or grade	CPPLACK	PP4			
Attends program before or after school	CPBFAFT	PP6			
Hours at center-based before school	CPHRSBF	PP10			
Hours at center-based after school	CPHRSAF	PP10OV			
Sometimes parents arrange for activities	ACTVTES	PQ1			
He/she participates in activities	ACTWEEK	PQ2			
Days per week child participates in activity	ACTDAYS	PQ3			
Hours per week child participates in activity	ACTHRS	PQ4			
Cares for self on a regular basis	SCSELF	PQ6			
Child cares for self before/after school	SCBFAFT	PQ7			
Child cares for self once each week	SCWEEK	PQ8			
Days per week child cares for self	SCDAYS	PQ9			
Hours per week child cares for self	SCHRS	PQ10			
Hours per week child cares for self before school	SCHRSBF	PQ11			
Hours per week child cares for self after school	SCHRSAF	PQ11OV			
Mom/dad home when child gets home from school	SCPARHM	PQ12			
Plans for Postsecondary Education					
Child will attend school after high school	SEAFTRHS	PR1a			FCPOSTHS
Child will graduate from a 4-year college	SECOLLEG	PR1b			FCGRADCO
Child will start college education in a 2- or 4-year school	PSSTART	PR2			
Child like to attend private or public school	PSCOLTYP	PR3			
Child like to attend in or out of state college	PSCOLST	PR4			
Got information about tuition for specific college	PSCOLTUI	PR5			
Cost of 1 year tuition at 4-year college	PSCOLAMT	PR6			
Tuition of 4-year include other fees	PSCOLINC	PR6OV			
Estimated 1 year tuition at 4-year college	PSESTUI	PR7			

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Estimate of cost tuition of 4-year college	PSCESAMT	PR7OV1			
Estimate tuition 4- year college include other fees	PSCESINC	PR7OV2			
Estimate tuition at in state 4 -year college	PS4YRTUI	PR8			
Estimate tuition at in state 4 -year college	PS4YRAMT	PR8OV1			
Estimated tuition in state college include other fees	PS4YRINC	PR8OV2			
Will attend vocational/technical/comm or jr college	PSOTHTYP	PR9			
Got information about tuition of voc/tech school	PSOTHTUI	PR10			
Tuition cost for vocational/technical/junior college	PSOTHAMT	PR11			
Tuition for vocational/technical include other fee	PSOTHINC	PR11OV			
Estimate cost of tuition vocational/technical school	PSOESTUI	PR12			
Estimate cost of tuition vocational/technical school	PSOESAMT	PR12OV1			
Estimate tuition vocational/technical include fee	PSOESINC	PR12OV2			
Estimate cost of tuition vocational/technical school	PS2YRTUI	PR13			
Tuition cost for vocational/technical/junior college	PS2YRAMT	PR13OV1			
Estimate tuition vocational/technical include fee	PS2YRINC	PR13OV2			
Saving money to pay for child's education	PSAVMON	PR14			
Talked about financial aid with someone	PSFINAID	PR15			
Heard of Lifetime Learning tax credit	PSLIFE	PR16a			
Heard of Hope Scholarship tax credit	PSHOPE	PR16b			
Have/will use Lifetime Learning tax credit	PSLIFUS	PR17			
Have/will use Hope Scholarship tax credit	PSHOPUS	PR18			
Talked w/counselor about academic requirements	PSREQ	PR19			
Reason child not attending school after high school	PSNOTREA	PR20			
Family Involvement Outside of School					
Times read to child in the past week	FOREADTO	PS1	READTIME+READTO	R96a+R96+	
			READTON+READD	R97+ R98	
Minutes read to child past week	FORDDAY	PS2			
Past week told child story	FOSTORY	PS3a	WKSTORY	R99	
Times told child story past week	FOSTORYN	PS3a	WKSTORYN	R99	
Past week taught letters/words/numbers	FOWORDS	PS3b	WKWORDS	R99	
Times taught letters/words/numbers past week	FOWORDSN	PS3b	WKWORDSN	R99	
Past week taught child songs/music	FOMUSIC	PS3c	WKMUSIC	R99	
Times taught songs past week	FOMUSICN	PS3c	WKMUSICN	R99	
Past week worked on arts/crafts	FOCRAFTS	PS3d	WKCRAFT	R99	
Times did arts/crafts past week	FOCRAFTN	PS3d	WKCRAFTN	R99	
Took child on errands past week	FOERAND	PS3e	WKERAND	R99	
Times took on errands past week	FOERANDN	PS3e	WKERANDN	R99	
Involved child with chores past week	FOCHORE	PS3f	WKCHORE	R99	
Times involved child with chores past week	FOCHOREN	PS3f	WKCHOREN	R99	

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Visited library with child past month	FOLIBRAY	PS4a	MOLIBRAY	R100	
Went to play/concert/show past month	FOCONCRT	PS4b	MOCONCRT	R100	
Visited art gallery/museum past month	FOMUSEUM	PS4c	MOMUSEUM	R100	
Visited zoo/aquarium past month	FOZOO	PS4d	MOZOO	R100	
Told child family history past month	FOETHNIC	PS4e	MOETHNIC	R100	
Went to community event past month	FOGROUP	PS4f	MOCHURCH	R100	
Health and Disability					
Doctor said child developmentally delayed	HDDELAY	PT1	HNDELAY	R104	
Last time child saw doctor	HNDWCWHN	PT2	HNDWCWHN	R110	
Child has seen dentist	HNDNTIST	PT3	HNDNTIST	R111	
Last time child has seen dentist	HNDNTWHN	PT4	HNDNTWHN	R112	
Child has specific learning disability	HDLEARN	PT5a	HNLEARN	R105	
Child is mentally retarded	HDRETARD	PT5b	HNRETARD	R105	
Child has speech impairment	HDSPEECH	PT5c	HNSPEECH	R105	
Child has emotional disturbance	HDDISTRB	PT5d	HNBEHAVE	R105	
Deafness or hearing problem	HDDEAFIM	PT5e, PT6a	HNDEAF+HNHEAR	R105	
Blindness or vision problem	HDBLNDIM	PT5f, PT6b	HNBLIND+HNVISUAL	R105	
Orthopedic repairment	HDORTHO	PT5g, PT6c	HNORTHO	R105	
Child has other health problem lasting 6 months +	HDOOTHER	PT5h, PT6e	HNOTHER	R105	
Child has severe developmental delay	HDDEVEL	PT6d			
Receives services from state/local/social agency	HDSOVT	PT7a, PT10b			
Receives services from doctor or clinic	HDDOCTOR	PT7b, PT10c			
Receives services-other	HDSOURCE	PT7c, PT10d			
Receives services through IFSP	HNIFSP	PT8			
Disability affects ability to learn	HDAFFECT	PT9			
Receives services from school district	HDSCHL	PT10			
Parent/Guardian Characteristics					
Mother's age when first became a mother	MOMNEW	PU1			
First language spoken by mother	MOMLANG	PU2	MOMLANG	R135	
Language spoken most at home by mother	MOMSPEAK	PU3	MOMSPEAK	R136	
Country mother was born in	MOMBORN	PU4			
Age when mother moved to the U.S.	MOMUSAGE	PU4OV			
Highest grade mother completed	MOMGRADE	PU5	MOMGRADE	R137	MOMGRADE
Actual grade 0-8 mother completed	MOMGRAD1	PU5			
Actual grade 9-11 mother completed	MOMGRAD2	PU5			
Mother has high school diploma or GED	MOMDIPL	PU6	MOMDIPL	R138	MOMDIPL
Mother worked for pay last week	MOMWORK	PU7	MOMWORK	R139	MOMWORK
Mother on leave or vacation last week	MOMLEAVE	PU8	MOMLEAVE	R140	MOMLEAVE

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Hours per week mother works for pay	MOMHOURS	PU9	MOMHOURS	R141	MOMHOURS
Months mother worked in past year	MOMMTHS	PU10	MOMMTHS	R142	
Mother looking for work in past 4 weeks	MOMLOOK	PU11	MOMLOOK	R143	MOMLOOK
Mother checked public employment agency	MOMPUBL	PU12	MOMPUBL	R144	MOMPUBL
Mother checked private employment agency	MOMPRIV	PU12	MOMPRIV	R144	MOMPRIV
Mother checked with employer directly	MOMEMPL	PU12	MOMEMPL	R144	MOMEMPL
Mother checked with friends/relatives	MOMREL	PU12	MOMREL	R144	MOMREL
Mother placed or answered ads	MOMANSAD	PU12	MOMANSAD	R144	MOMANSAD
Mother read want ads	MOMREAD	PU12	MOMREAD	R144	MOMREAD
Mother did other things to find work	MOMOTHER	PU12	MOMOTHER	R144	MOMOTHER
Mother's main activity last week	MOMACTY	PU13	MOMACTY	R145	MOMACTY
First language spoken by father	DADLANG	PV1	DADLANG	R147	
Language spoken most at home by father	DADSPEAK	PV2	DADSPEAK	R148	
Country father was born in	DADBORN	PV3			
Age when father moved to U.S.	DADUSAGE	PV3OV			
Highest grade father completed	DADGRADE	PV4	DADGRADE	R149	DADGRADE
Actual grade 0-8 father completed	DADGRAD1	PV4			
Actual grade 9-11 father completed	DADGRAD2	PV4			
Father has high school diploma/GED	DADDIPL	PV5	DADDIPL	R150	DADDIPL
Father worked for pay last week	DADWORK	PV6	DADWORK	R151	DADWORK
Father on leave or vacation last week	DADLEAVE	PV7	DADLEAVE	R152	DADLEAVE
Hours per week father works for pay	DADHOURS	PV8	DADHOURS	R153	DADHOURS
Father looking for work past 4 weeks	DADLOOK	PV9	DADLOOK	R154	DADLOOK
Father checked public employment agency	DADPUBL	PV10	DADPUBL	R155	DADPUBL
Father checked private employment agency	DADPRIV	PV10	DADPRIV	R155	DADPRIV
Father checked with employer directly	DAEMPL	PV10	DAEMPL	R155	DAEMPL
Father checked with relatives or friends	DADREL	PV10	DADREL	R155	DADREL
Father placed or answered ads	DADANSAD	PV10	DADANSAD	R155	DADANSAD
Father read want ads	DADREAD	PV10	DADREAD	R155	DADREAD
Father did other things to find work	DADOTHER	PV10	DADOTHER	R155	DADOTHER
Father's main activity last week	DADACTY	PV11	DADACTY	R156	DADACTY

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Household Characteristics					
Own, rent home, or other arrangement	HOWNHOME	PW1	HOWNHOME	R160	HOWNHOME
Other telephone numbers in household	HOTHNUM	PW2	HPHONE/R	R163	HPHONE/R
How many other phone numbers for home use	HNUMUSE	PW3	HPHONCNT/R	R164	HPHONCNT/R
Zip code	STFZIP	PW4	HZIPCODE/R	R167	HZIPCODE/R
Family received WIC past 12 months	HWIC	PW5a			
Family received food stamps past 12 months	HFOODST	PW5b			
Family received TANF or AFDC past 12 months	HAFDC	PW5c			
Total household income- range	HINCMRNG	PW6	HINCMRNG	R168	HINCMRNG
Total household income- specific range	HINCOME	PW6	HINCOME	R168	HINCOME
Exact household income to nearest \$1000	HINCMEXT	PW6OV			